

February 11, 2011

Office of the First Lady 700 Capitol Avenue Suite 102 Frankfort, KY 40601

Dear Mrs. Beshear:

As you mention in your letter, literacy is fundamental to achieving personal and professional success. The Kentucky Library Association advocates for literacy throughout the year. Focusing on literacy for an entire week will bring awareness to this important issue. Literacy awareness should be found in all aspects of education and libraries: K-12 schools, colleges and universities, public libraries, special libraries, and information centers. We should be assisting our users in developing these skills to achieve health and financial well-being.

The Kentucky Library Association is proud and honored to endorse Kentucky Literacy Week. We will be glad to forward any hosting opportunity information to our members and encourage them to participate February 28 through March 4, 2011. Please send any information to my office or email leoma.dunn@thomasmore.edu.

Sincerely,

Leoma Dunn

President

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